

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of ) Examiner: A. SUTTON  
F. LARDEAU )  
Serial No.: 10/538,810 ) Art Unit: 3765  
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For: **MODULAR REMOVABLE** )  
**PADDING FOR** )  
**PROTECTIVE HELMET** )  
**AND HELMET EQUIPPED** )  
**THEREWITH** )  
Date of Last Office Action: )  
October 2, 2008 )  
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**AMENDMENT B**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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Dear Sir:

This amendment is responsive to the non-Final Office Action of October 2, 2008.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 5.

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